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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor : Donald D. Reitz
Serial No. : 10/700,296
Filed : November 3, 2003
Title : GAS RECOVERY APPARATUS, METHOD AND CYCLE
HAVING A THREE CHAMBER EVACUATION PHASE AND
TWO LIQUID EXTRACTION PHASES FOR IMPROVED
NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION

Group Art Unit : 3672
Confirmation No. : 2253
Examiner : Hoang C. Dang

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The undersigned hereby certifies that the attached Amendment Transmittal Letter; Amendment After Allowance; check in the amount of \$325.00; Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail; and Return Card, relating to the above application, were deposited as "Express Mail," Mailing Label No. EV616525957US, with the United States Postal Service, addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 18th day of August, 2005.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

SERIAL NO: 10/700,296

DATE FILED: November 3, 2003

FOR: GAS RECOVERY APPARATUS, METHOD AND CYCLE HAVING A THREE CHAMBER EVACUATION PHASE AND TWO LIQUID EXTRACTION PHASES FOR IMPROVED NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION

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TRANSMITTED HERewith IS AN AMENDMENT IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION

- ☒ Amendment After Allowance
☒ Check in the amount of \$325.00

FEES HAVE BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

	(COL. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(COL. 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(COL. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
				RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL:	35*	- 22	13**	X \$25 =	\$325.00	OR	X \$50 =	\$0.00
INDEP:	4*	- 4	0***	X \$100 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$200 =	\$0.00
____ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+ \$180 =		OR	+ \$360 =	
ADDITIONAL FEES				TOTAL:	\$325.00	OR	TOTAL:	\$0.00

*IF THE ENTRY IN COL. 1 IS LESS THAN THE ENTRY IN COL. 2, WRITE "0" IN COL. 3.

**IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IN THIS SPACE IS LESS THAN 20, WRITE "20" IN THIS SPACE.

***IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IN THIS SPACE IS LESS THAN 3, WRITE "3" IN THIS SPACE.

THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" (TOTAL OR INDEPENDENT) IS THE HIGHEST NUMBER FOUND FROM THE EQUIVALENT BOX IN COL. 1 OF A PRIOR AMENDMENT OR THE NUMBER OF CLAIMS ORIGINALLY FILED.

☒ A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$325.00 FOR THE ADDITIONAL FEES IS ENCLOSED.

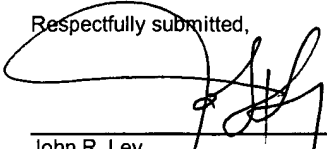
☒ THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING FEES ASSOCIATED WITH THIS COMMUNICATION OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 12-1087. **A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.**

☒ ANY FILING FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.16 FOR THE PRESENTATION OF EXTRA CLAIMS.

☒ ANY PATENT APPLICATION PROCESSING FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.17.

Dated at Greenwood Village, Colorado, this 15th day of August, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE
under 37 CFR 1.312

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed June 9, 2005, please amend the application as set forth below in Part 1 of this Amendment, under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.312. The final fee for this application has not been paid.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claims 4, 8, 9, 16 and 21.

Add new claims 23-35,

Part 1 hereof presents the pending claims with markings to indicate changes and status.

REMARKS:

Part 2 comments on the above amendments and new claims.